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W. F. BROWN & Co., Printers, 113 Franklin Street.
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CATALOGUE.

1. Bunker Hill Centennial, View of the Monument ; reverse, Warren 17 June, 1775 ; white metal, scarce.
2. Maj. Gen. J. W. Geary, bust ; rev., 'I vote as I fight' ; white metal.
3. George Washington, bust ; rev., Franklin ; white metal.
4. Grant and Colfax, Republican Candidates, 1868 ; rev., Soldier, Statesmen, and Patriots ; 'Match 'm'; fine and rare, white metal.
5. For President, Samuel J. Tilden ; rev., bust of Hendricks ; copper, silvered, scarce.
6. Franklin Pierce, 14th President ; rev., residence ; copper, good.
7. Centennary of Am. Methodism, bust of Ashbury ; rev., Suffer little children, etc. ; brass, fine, scarce.
8. Martin Van Buren ; rev., VIII. Pres. of the U. S. ; brass, fine.
9. George Washington, bust ; rev., "Success to the United States," known as the Inauguration Medal ; brass, good and rare.
10. Iturbide and Augustiny Anna, Emp. and Emps., Mexico, 1823 ; ob., their bust ; rev., altar, crown, and sceptre ; fine medal, copper, size 29.
11. Ferdinand VII. Borbonius rex Catholicus ; ob., bust in military costume ; rev., seated figure, arms of Spain, etc. ; "Poes et eloquent, ceri, Const. Mex. Acad., 1809." A beautiful medal, and rare ; copper, size 32.
12. Will. Duke of Cumb. 'British hero,' bust in military costume ; rev., captives led to execution ; 'Rebellion justly rewarded.' At Carlile, Dec., 1745, to commemorate the battle of Culloden ; brass, fine and rare ; size 28.
13. Set of the Mt. Vernon Medals, three in number, bust of Washington, the Tomb, and residence at Mt. Vernon. These were gotten up by the Mt. Vernon Society, some twenty years ago, and are now quite rare ; neatly mounted in triangle frame ; diameter of medals, three inches.
14. California quarter dollar, gold, round.
15. " " " octagon.
16. Cent of 1857 ; old copper, scarce.
17. " 1811 ; fair, scarce.
18. " 1823 ; fair, scarce.
19. " 1814 ; good, scarce.
20. " 1794, 1797, 1805 ; three pieces, fair.
21. " 1799 ; doubtful.
22. Franklin cent ; 'Mind your business' ; first U. S. coin, 1787.

THE FOLLOWING SEVEN NOS. ARE THE NATIONAL MEDALS OF THE UNITED STATES, ALL FINE.

23. Martin Van Buren, Pres. U. S., 1837 ; rev., Peace and friendship ; size 39.
24. Battle of Lake Erie, 10 Sept., 1813 ; 'We have met the enemy,' etc. ; size 38.

25. Com. Truxton, by vote of Congress, 24th March, 1800, size 36.
26. Daniel Morgan, battle of the Cowpens, 17th Jan., 1781, size 36.
27. Col. Armstrong, battle of Kittanning, 8th Sept., 1753, size 28.
28. Jon. Egar Howard, battle of the Cowpens, size 28.
29. Great Central Sanitary Fair, Phila., June, 1864; ob., Hospital Scene, 'We give our wealth,' etc. Beautiful medal, by Paquet. size 37.
30. Napoleon I., to commemorate the passage of the Po; ob., crossing the bridge of Mincio; very fine, size 28.
31. Napoleon I., to commemorate the occupation of Hamburg, 1806; fine medal, by Andrieu, size 28.
32. Antonius Pius, 138 A. D.; second brass, good and scarce.
33. Philip I., the Arabian, 248 A. D.; rev., deer; third brass, scarce.
34. Gordianus, 238 A. D.; silver, fine and scarce.
35. Egyptian copper, about 250 B. C.; obv., head of Jupiter; rev., eagle, very fine, rare.
36. Artabaces V., Persia; head of the king; rev., inscription; silver, in fine condition, rare.
37. Early Byzantine; copper, convexed, about 400 B. C.; fine, rare.
38. Byzantine; silver; obv., crowned figure; rev., religious emblems; very fine, rare.
39. Early Ottoman; small silver, about 1400 A. D.; Arabic inscription; fine, scarce.
40. Cnidus; silver coin of the first numismatic period, about 700 B. C.; obv., tiger's head; rev., incused head of Apollo; fine, rare.
41. Chios; small silver of the earliest period; obv., lion's head; rev., incused; very fine and rare.
42. Beotia; small silver of the first period; obv., shield; rev., vase; fine and rare.
43. Amyntas II. of Macedon; silver; obv., head of Hercules; rev., a horse; inscription faint, not in good condition, but rare, about 393 B. C.
44. Alexander Severus, 222 A. D.; first brass, fine condition, rare.
45. Maximus, 235 A. D.; third brass, two pieces.
46. Pine Tree Threepence, 1652; about a quarter of the piece has been cut off, but leaving both the date and tree entire, otherwise in fine condition; rare.
47. Bank Token, one shilling sixpence, (38 c.); very fine, scarce.
48. Gordianus Mar. Ant., the younger, 238 A. D.; Romano-Greek, silver, fine, rare.
49. Philip, sen., the Arabian; 244 A. D.; silver, Romano-Greek, fine, rare.
50. Drucilla, sister of Caligula, 37 A. D.; silver, fine and rare.
51. Trajan, Marcus Ulpius, 98 A. D.; Romano-Greek, silver, rare.

UNITED STATES CENTS.

53. 1793; wreath; ordinary, rare.
54. 1793; wreath; may be called a fine specimen for this date, rare.
55. 1793; chain; very good, date and inscription perfectly plain, scarce type.
56. 1793; Ameri.; head faint as usual with this variety, Liberty and date perfect; rev., very fine; very rare.

57. 1793; Liberty cap; head considerably worn, liberty and date very distinct; rev., very good; rarest variety of this date.
58. 1794; very fair, scarce.
59. 1794; good, scarce.
60. 1794; fine, scarce.
61. 1794; fair, said to be a rare variety, scarce.
62. 1795; fair, scarce.
63. 1795; good, scarce.
64. 1796; very good, fillet head, scarce.
65. 1796; Liberty cap, very good, scarce.
66. 1797; ordinary. scarce.
67. 1798; very fair.
68. 1799; may be called a fine cent of this, the rarest of the American series; from the altered die of 1798; guaranteed genuine.
69. 1800; fine, scarce.
70. 1801; ordinary.
71. 1802; very fine.
72. 1803; very fine.
73. 1804; head considerably worn, but the inscriptions, both obverse and reverse, very distinct, the date remarkably so; very rare.
74. 1805; good.
75. 1806; good and scarce.
76. 1807; fair.
77. 1808; fair and scarce.
78. 1809; good and rare.
79. 1810; fine, scarce.
80. 1811; very good, scarce.
81. 1812; very good, scarce.
82. 1813; fair, rare.
83. 1814; very good, scarce.
84. 1816; fine.
85. 1817; ordinary.
86. 1817; 15 stars, very good, scarce.
87. 1818; good.
88. 1819; fine.
89. 1820; good.
90. 1821; very good, scarce.
91. 1822; very good.
92. 1823; very good for this scarce date.
93. 1824–1825; both good, two pieces.
94. 1826; very fine.
95. 1827–30 inclusive; four pieces, all good.
96. 1831–36 inclusive; six pieces, all good.
97. 1837; splendid, bronze; uncirculated and rare.
98. 1838–39; both remarkably fine, two pieces.
99. 1840–50; eleven pieces, ordinary.
100. 1851; bright and uncirculated.
101. 1852; bright and uncirculated.
102. 1853; ordinary.
103. 1854; bright and uncirculated.
104. 1855–56; ordinary.
105. 1857; good and scarce.

106. 1857 ; nickle, good.
107. 1858, '59, '60 ; three pieces, uncirculated.
108. 1861–70 inclusive ; ten pieces, all uncirculated.
109. 1871–76 inclusive ; six pieces, all uncirculated.

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110. Kentucky cent ; plain edge, very fine and rare.
111. Massachusetts cent, 1787 ; very good, scarce.
112. Massachusetts half cent, 1787 ; very fine, rare.
113. Old coin (silver) of Spain, struck on the union of the Provinces under Ferdinand and Isabella ; fair, rare.
114. Square Japanese silver coin ; scarce.

UNITED STATES HALF CENTS.

115. 1793 ; very good, rare.
116. 1793 ; very fair, rare.
117. 1794 ; very fine, rare.
118 1794 ; another, nearly as good, rare.
119. 1795 ; very good indeed, lettered edge, rare.
120. 1795 ; thin die, about the same condition, rare.
121. 1800 ; very good.
122. 1802 ; would be called very good for this rare date.
123. 1803 ; very good, scarce.
124. 1804 ; very fine.
125. 1805 ; fair, scarce.
126. 1806, '7, '8 ; three pieces, all good, scarce.
127. 1809 ; uncirculated.
128. 1810 ; very good and scarce.
129. 1811 ; very good, rare.
130. 1825–26 ; the '25 uncirculated, '26 good, scarce, two pieces.
131. 1828 ; two pieces, one with twelve stars, scarce, fine.
132. 1829 to '35, inclusive, five pieces, all fine, scarce.
133. 1837 ; half cent's worth of pure copper, fine and scarce.
134. 1849 ; very fine, scarce.
135. 1850 ; very fine, scarce.
136. 1851 to '56 inclusive, uncirculated, scarce.
137. 1857 ; very fine, scarce.
138. Two cent pieces, 1864 to '71 inclusive, all bright and uncirculated.
139. Two cent piece, 1872, uncirculated, rare.
140. Virginia cent, fair and scarce.
141. New Jersey, 1785, fair.
142. Nova Constellatio, 1783, U. S., scarce.
143. Fugio, or Franklin cent, 1787, fair, scarce.
144. Connecticut cent, 1788, good, scarce.
145. Copy of U. S. five dollar, 1834, in copper.
146. Copy of cent, 1793, well calculated to deceive, fine.
147. Lot of cents, 1798, 1803–'07, three pieces, good.
148. Lot of cents, 1817, '20, '22, '26, '29, '31, '34, '43, nine pieces, mostly fine.
149. Lot of cents, 1850, '52, '54, '55, four pieces, bright.
150. Lot of cents, 1800, '1, '5, '7, '11, '12, all scarce, six pieces.
150½. Cent of 1804, head worn, but date and inscription distinct, very rare and desirable.
151. Cent of 1818, bright and uncirculated.

152. Cent of 1819 ; bright and uncirculated.
152½. Cent of 1809 ; very fair specimen of this scarce date.
153. Two cent piece of 1872 ; good and rare.
154. Twenty cent piece of 1876 ; fine and rare.
155. Lot of twenty half cents, 1803 to '9 ; ordinary.
156. Lot of fifteen " " " "
157. Lot of fourteen " 1828–'29 ; "
158. Lot of nine " 1832, '35 ; all good.
159. Lot of four " 1853, '54 ; all good.
160. Copy of the Carolina Elephant piece, 1694 ; very well done.
161. Rosa Americana halfpenny, 1722, has a hole in the centre, otherwise very good, rare.
162. Half cent. 1857 ; scarce.
163. Bunker Hill Temperance Medal, one of Fremont, Fillmore, etc., four pieces ; good and scarce.
164. Mint Drop, Loco-foco head ; fine, always reckoned scarce.
165. Liberia, 1833, and Am I not a woman and a sister ; two pieces, both fine.
166. Pearl Sutler's card, and one other ; two, good.
167. Maj.-Gen. Z. Taylor, names of different battles ; rev., U. S. of America, 1847 ; copper, fine and rare.
168. Trask's Tobacco medal ; brass, fine.

FOREIGN COINS.

169. James I. ; Irish farthing, called Harrington's, about 1610 ; rare.
170. Bath farthing ; Bladud founded Bath, etc. ; very fine, scarce.
171. Irish Token, 1753 ; 'The 124 Patriots of Ireland' ; The Speaker and liberty ; copper, good and rare.
172. Wood's farthing, 1823 ; very good and very rare.
173 Sir Isaac Newton farthing ; good and scarce.
174. Pidcock's Exhibition farthing ; very fine, scarce.
175. Bermuda penny, 1793 ; good and scarce.
176. Barbadoes penny, pine apple type, 1788 ; fine and scarce.
177. One Stiver, 'Pure copper,' etc.
178. Gibraltar farthing, or one quart ; very fine, scarce.
179. Set of English E. I. coins, cent, half and quarter ; fine and scarce.
180. Hong Kong, one mil ; fine, scarce.
181. George I., halfpenny, 1723 ; fine.
182. Ionian Islands ; beautiful half farthing ; rare.
183. Three medals, Wellington, Napoleon III., and one other ; fine and desirable.
184. George III., beautiful set of the new coinage, 1799 ; two pieces, half penny and farthing ; rare.
185. Victoria ; bright set of the new penny, halfpenny and farthing ; scarce as a set.
186. Victoria half farthing, old coinage, 1843 ; fine and scarce.
187. Victoria model halfpenny ; fine, scarce.
188. Victoria half farthing ; bright and uncirculated.
189. Two English farthing cards.
190. Religious card ; 'If thy Brother trespass,' etc. ; rev., 'If we say we have no sin,' etc. ; very fine, scarce.

191. Maj.-G. Sir W. P. Carrol, with Wellington in the Peninsular war; obv., fine bust; rev., soldier with sword and buckler, 'Penaflor, 1809'; very fine, size 30.
192. Medal of the French Revolution; obv., the army taking the oath; rev., inscription; very good.
193. Lot of six foreign coins; various; all good and desirable.
194. Lot of nine; Portugal and Brazil; all good.
195. Austria 20 k., 1804; base silver.
196. Dutch coin of Java, $2\frac{1}{2}$ cents; fine and scarce.
197. French Revolution; 'Libertie sous la Loi,' seated figure, liberty cap, etc.; rev., long inscription; fine and very scarce.
198. Lot of five; Russia, Prussia, Denmark, Lombardy, Saxony, all fine.
199. Lot of seven; France, East Indies, Denmark, etc.; all fine.
200. Lot of four; Hanover, Geneva, Sweden, France, 1623; fine and desirable.
201. Lot of nine; different States of Europe; desirable lot.
202. Lot of three; set of Jeffrard of Hayti; scarce.
203. French Revolutionary; scales and liberty cap, 1793; scarce.
204. Two fine little coins of Switzerland; one and two cent.
205. Lot of sixteen; various countries; mostly scarce.
206. Two old coins of Switzerland; Canton Bern., 1666, 1796; very scarce.
207. Republic Liberia, one cent; rev., cocoanut tree; fine, scarce.
208. Monaco, Un Decime; good and scarce.
209. Japan; large oblong copper; fine, scarce.
210. Bonaparte at St. Helena; obv., Napoleon seated on the rocks; the only piece of this kind I ever saw, and I think quite rare.
211. Turkish silver; dime size.
212. Spain; two beautiful coins, Fred. VII. and Isabella.
213. Hindostan; fine coin from the native mint at Delhi.
214. Peru, first national coin, 1823, sun rising over the mountains; fine, scarce.
215. Mexico, State of Chihuahua, Indian with bow; scarce.
216. Lot of four, State of Holland, 1756 to 1780; fine, scarce.
217. Lot of six, all different countries; all fine, scarce.
218. Lot of two, scarce coins, Breman and Spain; old and scarce.
219. Lot of two fine coins of Sicily, one and ten tornesi; fine.
220. Henry III. of Navarre, 1596; fine and scarce.
221. Lot of four, small coins of different States; fine and desirable.
222. Lot of two, fine little coins of Austria and Italy.
223. Spanish Colony copper piece, same as the silver cob money.
224. Oldenburgh, fine bright coin; scarce.
225. Lot of two bright little coins, of Austria and Denmark.
226. Lot of three bright little coins, Saxony, Hanover and Prussia.
227. Lot of three fine coins of Holland and Austria.
228. France, two sous, Colony Cayenne, 1772; fine, scarce.
229. Large copper coin, unknown, 1813; curious.
230. Lot of two fine small coins, Russia and Baden.
231. Large coin (ten cent) of Anvers, 1814; scarce.
232. One cent, new nickle coin, Peru.
233. France, fine little coin (one cent); scarce.

234. Brazil, new coin with head of the Emperor; fine.
235. Austria, 1788; base silver.
236. Dutch E. I. piece, 1790; fine and scarce.
237. French Republic, 1848, one cent; fine.
238. Lot of three beautiful small coins, Russia, Belgium, Bremen.
339. Lot of two splendid bright coins, Prussia and Saxony; scarce.
240. Lot of four splendid bright coins, different German States, "
241. Half skilling, Denmark; very fine.
242. Lot of four fine little bits of German coppers; scarce.
243. Lot of two old coins of Denmark and Bostock; good, scarce.
244. Lot of two small uncirculated coins of Holland and Denmark.
245. Splendid little coin of Sweden, one fifth öre, 1842; scarce.
246. A relic of the great fire, medal of the Duc de Orleans; was originally a fine piece of work; the lower part is completely melted.
247. Lot of 37, a little of everything; many good pieces for a young collector to select.

COLONIAL AND CONTINENTAL BILLS.

248. New York; 2 bills 10 pounds, 15 April, 1758; good and scarce.
249. " water works, 2 bills, 8 shillings, 6 Jan., 1775–1776; fine, scarce.
250. New York; water works, 2 bills, 4 shillings, 6 Jan., 1776; fine, scarce.
251. Maryland; 2 bills, 1 and 2 dollars, April 10, 1774; fine, scarce.
252. " 3 bills, 2, 4 and 6 " " 10, " " "
253. " 2 bills, 2 and 6 " " 10, " " "
254. " 2 bills, 4 and 6 " " 10, " " "
255. Massachusetts; 2 bills, 4 and 8 dolls., 1780; fine.
256. " 3 bills, 2, 4 and 7 " 1780; fine.
257. Pennsylvania; 2 bills, 1 shilling and 2 shillings sixpence, April, 1772; fine, scarce.
258. Pennsylvania; 3 bills, 50 and 10 shillings, and one 18 pence, 1773; fine, scarce.
259. Pennsylvania; 2 bills, 2 and 4 shillings, 1773; fine, scarce.
260. " 2 bills, 15 and 16 " " "
261. Delaware; 6 bills, various, printed by B. Franklin, 1746; poor, rare.
262. " 3 " " " " " " " " "
263. " 3 " " " " " " 1759; " "
264. " 3 " 6 and 10 shillings, 1776; both fine, rare.
265. " 3 " 2, 4 and 20 " " " "
266. " 2 " 5 shil. and 18 pence. " " "
267. " 7 " 1 and 6 shillings, " " "
268. S. Carolina; 1 bill, 5 dollars, " fine, "
269. New Jersey; 2 bills, 3 pounds, 30 shil., 1761; fair, "
270. " 2 " 15 and 30 shillings, " " "
271. " 3 " 3 pounds 15 and 30 shil., 1764; fair, rare.
272. " 3 " 18 pence, 1 and 3 " 1776; very fine, rare.
273. Congressional; 2 bills, $\frac{1}{3}$ and $\frac{2}{3}$ of dol., Feb. 17, 1776; good, very scarce.
274. Congressional; 3 bills, 4, 7 and 8 dollars, 1776; fine.
275. R. Lefferts, Exchange Office, 17 Fulton St., Brooklyn, N. Y.; three bills, $12\frac{1}{2}$, 25 and 50 cents; all new and very scarce.

CONFEDERATE BILLS, NOW QUITE SCARCE.

276. North Carolina; 3 bills, 2 dols., Raleigh. 1861; fine.
277. City of Richmond; 10 and 50 cents, 1862; fine.
278. State of Alabama; 3 bills, one doll, 1863; fine.
279. Confederate States; 4 bills, 100 dolls., 1863; new.
280. " 5 " " " "
281. " 8 " " 1862; "
282. " 4 " " " "
283. " 5 " 100, 50, 20, 10 and 5, 1864; new.
284. " 5 " " " " "
285. " 5 " " " " "
286. " 5 " 5 dollars, 1863; new.
287. " 4 " 10 " " "
288. " 4 " 10 " " "
289. " 4 " 10 " " "
290. " 3 " 5 " " "
291. " 4 " 5 " 1864; "
292. " 8 " 5 " " "
293. " 5 " 10 " " "
294. " 6 " 10 " " "
295. " 8 " 10 " " "
296. " 8 " 20 " " "
297. " 4 " 20 " " "
298. " 4 " 100 " " "
299. " 4 " 100 " " "
300. " 4 " 50 " " "
301. " 4 " 50 " " "

COIN CATALOGUES, ETC.

302. Cook's Hand-Book of Coins and Medals, two copies.
303. Balmanno Collection, Phila., Apr., 1873.
304. Campbell Collection, Phila., Feb., 1874; Woodward's Collection, N. Y., Feb., 1874, two copies.
305. Stenz and Taylor Collections, and 1 other; N. Y., 1874, 3 copies.
306. Two sales, Phila., Apr. and Dec., 1875, one N. Y., Mar., 1875; three copies.
307. Havana and Haines Collections, and Parmelee Collection, one N. Y., June and Oct., 1876; three copies.
308. Three Centennial sales, Phila., one Boston, (H. C. Bird's) 1876; four copies.
309. Three Centennial sales, one N. Y., one Boston (H. C. Bird's) 1876; five copies.
310. Three Centennial sales, one N. Y., one Boston (H. C. Bird's) 1876; three copies.
311. Two Scott & Co., N. Y., two Phila., one N. Y., 1877; five copies.
312. Two Scott & Co., one N. Y., 1 Boston (Leonard,) 1877; 4 copies.
313. Two Scott & Co., one N. Y., one Phila., 1877; four copies.
314. " two " " " 1878; five copies.
315. " seven no. different sales, 1878; seven copies.
316. Two Phila., and three N. Y. sales, 1878; five copies.
317. Root, Merritt, Snow Collections; priced, 1878; three copies.

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